



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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For: A DEVICE FOR PURIFYING THE
EXHAUST GAS OF AN INTERNAL
COMBUSTION ENGINE

Docket No.: 110108

REQUEST FOR STATUS OF PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP

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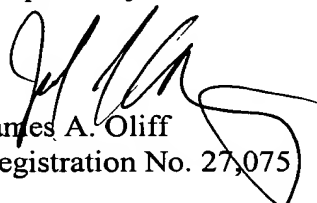
Sir:

A Petition to Correct Inventorship, with an associated Amendment to Correct Inventorship were filed in the above-identified application on May 13, 2004. The documents have been entered into the Image File Wrapper of this application.

However, Applicants have not yet received a formal response to that Petition and Amendment.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is requested to acknowledge receipt of the Petition and indicate that the requested amendment of inventorship has been entered.

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